

**AMENDMENTS TO THE ABSTRACT:**

Please amend page 11, paragraph 2, to read as follows:

**-- ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE --**

**Abstract:** According to the present invention there is provided a substance — A composition capable for inhibiting the bad smell noxious odors of the a user's feet, this substance consisting of. The composition comprises elementary sulfur, preferably in the a micronized state. It can be advantageously applied to socks, stockings or any other textile or footwear product intended to come into (direct or indirect) contact with the part article to be deodorized. To In this end manner, the active principle is ingredient may be combined with other substances with a view in an effort to obtaining a achieve stable fixing adherence to the support article and, thereby, assuring a persisting lasting release of the active principle in the course of ingredient over time, and this even after subsequent washings cleanings of the article.